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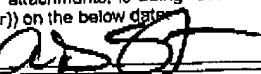
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AMENDMENT AND REPLY TO DECEMBER 12, 2005 OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

In reply to the outstanding Office Action mailed December 12, 2005, please enter the following amendment in the above-referenced patent application.